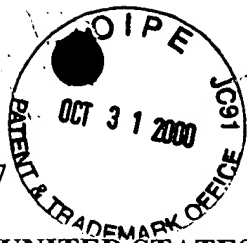


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In re Application of

WHEELER, et al.

Serial No.: 09/604,880

Group Art Unit: 2782

Filed: June 28, 2000

Examiner: (Not Assigned)

For: GENERIC COMMAND INTERFACE FOR MULTIPLE EXECUTABLE ROUTINES

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE
OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

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3. Late Filing Fee Surcharge of \$130.00
4. Additional Claims Fee of \$188.00
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 - **\$78** for **1** independent claims over 3 .
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